RESOLUTION NO.

A RESOLUTION OF THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA STATING THE CITY'S INTENT TO REIMBURSE ANY FUNDS RECEIVED FROM THE STATE WATER RESOURCES CONTROL BOARD FOR TWO RENEWABLE AND REDUCED ENERGY PROJECTS AT THE EL ESTERO WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANT (EL ESTERO)

WHEREAS, the City of Santa Barbara (the "Agency") desires to finance the cost of construction and/or reconstructing certain public facilities and improvements relating to its water and wastewater system, including certain treatment facilities, pipelines and other infrastructure (the" Project");

WHEREAS, the Agency intends to finance the construction and/or reconstruction of the Project or portions of the Project with moneys ("Project Funds") provided by the State of California, acting by and through the State Water Resources Control Board (State Water Board);

WHEREAS, the State Water Board may fund the Project Funds with proceeds from the sale of obligations the interest upon which is excluded from gross income for federal income tax purposes (the "Obligations");

WHEREAS, prior to either the issuance of the Obligations or the approval by the State Water Board of the Project Funds the Agency desires to incur certain capital expenditures (the "Expenditures") with respect to the Project from available moneys of the Agency; and

WHEREAS, the Agency has determined that those moneys to be advanced on and after the date hereof to pay the Expenditures are available only for a temporary period and it is necessary to reimburse the Agency for the Expenditures form the proceeds of the Obligations.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SANTA BARBARA AS FOLLOWS:

<u>SECTION 1.</u> The Agency hereby states its intention and reasonably expects to reimburse Expenditures paid prior to the issuance of the Obligations or the approval by the State Water Board of the Project Funds.

<u>SECTION 2.</u> The reasonably expected maximum principal amount of the Project Funds is \$1.2 million.

<u>SECTION 3</u>. This resolution is being adopted no later than 60 days after the date on which the Agency will expend moneys for the portion of the Project costs to be reimbursed with Project Funds.

<u>SECTION 4.</u> Each Agency expenditure will be of a type properly chargeable to a capital account under general federal income tax principles.

<u>SECTION 5.</u> To the best of our knowledge, this Agency is not aware of the previous adoption of official intents by the Agency that have been made as a matter of course for the purpose of reimbursing expenditures and for which tax-exempt obligations have not been issued.

<u>SECTION 6</u>. This resolution is adopted as official intent of the Agency in order to comply with Treasury regulation 1.150-2 and any other regulations of the Internal Revenue Service relating to the qualification for reimbursement of Project costs.

<u>SECTION 7.</u> All the recitals in this Resolution are true and correct as this Agency so finds, determines and represents.